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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD FOR MONITORING THE LIGHT-OFF PERFORMANCE OF AN EXHAUST GAS CATALYTIC CONVERTER SYSTEM

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